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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.115 AND RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed August 18, 2005. Applicants respectfully submit the following preliminary amendment under 37 C.F.R. §1.121 and remarks:

- (1) Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper; and
- (2) Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification

Please insert the following new paragraph at page 4, line 25:

"--1.2 SEQUENCE LISTING

The sequences of the polynucleotides and polypeptides of the invention are listed in the sequence listing and are submitted on a compact disc containing the file labeled "HYS-B2CIP PCT Sequence Listing.txt"—173 KB (177,299 bytes), which was created on an IBM PC, Windows 2000 operating system on July 09, 2003 at 12:42:41 PM. The sequence listing entitled "HYS-B2CIP PCT Sequence Listing.txt" is herein incorporated by reference in its entirety. A computer readable format ("CRF") and three (3) duplicate copies ("Copy 1/3," "Copy 2/3" and "Copy 3/3") of the Sequence Listing "HYS-B2CIP PCT Sequence Listing.txt" are submitted herein. Applicants hereby state that the content of the CRF and Copies 1, 2 and 3 of the Sequence Listing, submitted in accordance with 37 CFR §1.821(c) and (e), respectively, are the same.--"